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SUBJECT: ARMS TO SOUTH AFRICA

REF: LAGOS 447

1. WE DO NOT WANT TO BE PUT IN A POSITION OF COMMENTING ON
ISRAEL'S ARMS RELATIONSHIP WITH SOUTH AFRICA. IF FMG RAISES
QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS ASPECT OF ISRAEL'S ACTIVITIES WE
BELIEVE IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR NIGERIA TO TAKE UP
THESE MATTERS DIRECTLY WITH THE ISRAELIS. YOU SHOULD NOT
TAKE THE INITIATIVE IN DISCUSSING ISRAELI ARM SALES WITH
FMG.

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2. IF YOU ARE ASKED ABOUT U.S. INVOLVEMENT YOU MAY REPLY
ALONG THE FOLLOWING LINES:

-- U.S. POLICY PROHIBITS THE TRANSFER OF MILITARY MATERIEL
OR TECHNOLOGY TO SOUTH AFRICA.

-- THAT POLICY REMAINS AS VALID TODAY AS IT HAS BEEN IN THE
PAST. WE HAVE NOT APPROVED THE SALE OF ANY U.S. MILITARY
MATERIEL TO SOUTH AFRICA EITHER DIRECTLY OR VIA THIRD
PARTIES.
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